IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

SCHRODER ET AL

SERIAL NO.: 09/926,002

FILED: October 30, 2001

FOR: VACCINE FORMULATION

GROUP ART UNIT: 1645

EXAMINER: V. Ford

ATTY. REFERENCE: SCHR30@24REF ECH CENTER 1600/290

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☑ Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
- □ No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

The fee, if any, has Fee Basis		Highest Number	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	36	- 20	= 16	× \$ 9 = \$144.00	× \$ 18 =
Independent Claims		- 3	= 1	× \$ 42 = \$42.00	× \$ 84 =
				+ \$140 =	+ \$280 =
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- is attached. A check in the amount of \$186.00
- Mathematical The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- Also enclosed is/are: Amendment

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May 22, 2002 DATE:

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Official Action of February 22, 2002, in connection with the above-identified application and is timely filed within the initial period for response.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel all of the claims in the application without prejudice or disclaimer and add the following new claims to the application.

- 1/1(New). A vaccine formulation against a mycobacterium comprising, as adjuvant, one or more substances selected from the group consisting of:
- a) monoglyceride preparations having at least 80% monoglyceride content and having a formula

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